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Mr. Pat Gochnour  
Gochnour & Associates, Inc.  
19590 E. Main Street, Suite 208  
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Re: Exploration Drilling  
Northwest of Centennial Pit  
Lisbon Valley Project

Dear Mr. Gochnour:

We received your letter dated July 1, 2004, outlining a proposal from the Lisbon Valley Mining Co., LLC (Summo - Manager) for drilling up to 25 exploration holes at the Lisbon Valley Project. The exploration drilling project can proceed as outlined in your letter.

The project will be subject to approval and conditions from the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining. In addition to any conditions provided by the Division, Summo will schedule a pre-work conference with the Moab Field Office (Rich McClure, 435-259-2127) and Tom Brown, Inc. (Rick Costanza, 435-686-7612) at least two days prior to starting any construction or drilling operations for the 25 exploration holes. The pre-work conference will be held on-site to confirm that the drilling operations will not interfere with a buried pipeline owned and operated by Tom Brown, Inc. If you need any additional information, please call Rich McClure at (435) 259-2127.

Sincerely,

/s/ Eric Jones

Acting Assistant Field Manager  
Division of Resources

cc: Mr. Chuck Bauer, c/o Summo

Mr. Paul Baker, Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining

Mr. Rick Costanza, Tom Brown, Inc.

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